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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINR, SW
SUBJECT: CIRCULATION OF FORGED DOCUMENT

REF: (A) 76 STATE 255949, (B) 76 STATE 271348, (C) 74 A-8950,
(D) 76 STOCKHOLM 6573

1. FIRST PAGE OF SUBJECT DOCUMENT SURFACED IN HANDS OF GEORGE LENNOX, ASSOCIATE OF PHILIP AGEE AND BRITISH FREE-LANCE JOURNALIST, AT EMBASSY JANUARY 19, LENNOX, CALLING ON PRESS ATTACHE, APPARENTLY LIVING IN SWEDEN NOW.
2. DOCUMENT CONSISTED OF BAD PHOTOCOPY, SLIGHTLY SMALLER THAN ORIGINAL (REFTEL B), WITH MOST SIGNATURES AND DATES DIFFICULT OR IMPOSSIBLE TO READ. HOWEVER, COMPARISON WITH REFTTEL C INDICATES THIS IS UNALTERED COPY OF FIRST PAGE.
3. LENNOX SOUGHT INFORMATION AS TO DOCUMENT'S AUTHENTICITY. HE WAS TOLD PER SECOND REFTTEL (A) THAT US HAS KNOWN FORGERY EXISTS AND WAS REMINDED OF LONDON TIMES STORY OF NOVEMBER 7 WHICH HE HIMSELF HAD MENTIONED EARLIER. LENNOX CAME INTO THE EMBASSY WITH DOCUMENT JANUARY 19, ALLOWED IT TO BE COPIED, THEN CALLED JANUARY 20 FOR ANSWER.

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4. LENNOX SAID HE WAS PURSUING MATTER AT AGEE'S BEHEST, WHO, HE INDICATED (NOT CLEARLY), HAS AN ORIGINAL.
5. LENNOX POSED TWO OTHER QUESTIONS, AT SEVERAL TIMES AND IN SEVERAL FORMS, DURING THE TWO CONVERSATIONS PRESS ATTACHE HAD WITH HIM. ONE REVOLVED ABOUT PRESENT EMBASSY STAFFING AND LACK OF ADDRESSES FOR

AMERICANS IN CURRENT MFA DIPLOMATIC LIST, THE OTHER
ABOUT EMBASSY REACTION IF AGEE WERE TO MOVE TO SWEDEN.
A "NO COMMENT" ANSWER WAS THE REPLY TO EACH.
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